



Colorado Direct Hay Report

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Direct Hay Weighted Average Report for week ending 11/12/2021

Volume			
	This Week	Last Reported (11/1/2021)	Last Year
Tons:			
Hay	1427	31	1798
Total	1427	31	1798
Bales:			
Hay	10092	1466	1854
Total	10092	1466	1854

Please Note: The above volumes (tonnage, acres, and bales) listed on this USDA LPGMN report are for confirmed trades only, it does not include estimated volume (tonnage) for bids or offers to the trade.

Compared to last week: Trade activity moderate on good demand for horse hay. Horse hay sold steady this period. Trade activity light on good demand for ranch and dairy hay. Trade inactive on all other hay markets. According to the NASS Colorado Crop Progress report for the week ending November 7, 2021, 4th cutting alfalfa hay harvested is at 94 percent. Stored feed supplies are 10 percent very short, 27 percent short, 54 percent adequate, and 9 percent surplus. The next available report will be Thursday, November 18, 2021.

Mountains and Northwest CO Hay (Conventional)

Prairie/Meadow Grass - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3	10	270.00	270.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop

Northeast Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Supreme (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 4x4	194	235.00	235.00	Delivered-Feedlot/dairy	4th Cutting	New Crop

Alfalfa - Premium/Supreme (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	150	9.75	9.75	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop

Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	150	8.75	8.75	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop



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Alfalfa/Grass Mix - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	160	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Stables	2nd Cutting	New Crop

Forage Mix-Three Way - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	1000	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Stables	1st Cutting	New Crop

Timothy Grass - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	350	11.25	11.25	F.O.B.-Stables	4th Cutting	New Crop

San Luis Valley

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 4x4	800	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.-Feedlot/dairy	Multiple Cuttings	New Crop

Alfalfa - Good (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 4x4	300	200.00	200.00	F.O.B.-Farm/Ranch	2nd Cutting	New Crop

Forage Mix-Four Way - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Large Square 4x4	100	300.00	300.00	F.O.B.-Stables	2nd Cutting	New Crop

Forage Mix-Four Way - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	5000	11.50	11.50	F.O.B.-Stables	2nd Cutting	New Crop

Southeast

Hay (Conventional)

Alfalfa - Premium (Trade/Per Ton)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Medium Square 3x3	23	250.00	250.00	F.O.B.-Stables	3rd Cutting	New Crop

Prairie/Meadow Grass - Premium (Trade/Per Bale)

	<u>Qty</u>	<u>Price Range</u>	<u>Wtd Avg</u>	<u>Freight/Use</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Crop Age</u>
Small Square	3282	10.00	10.00	F.O.B.-Retail	1st Cutting	New Crop

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